

**NATION, ALABAMA, COUNTIES, METROPOLITAN AREAS AND CITIES  
2021 UNEMPLOYMENT DATA**

		JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	Ann Avg
ALABAMA SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	LABOR FORCE	2,253,279	2,248,629	2,246,935	2,247,271	2,246,731	2,246,086	2,244,635	2,244,628	2,246,602	2,251,328	2,257,124	2,263,096	
	EMPLOYMENT	2,159,660	2,160,405	2,162,572	2,164,981	2,167,046	2,168,344	2,169,979	2,173,361	2,178,757	2,186,102	2,194,274	2,201,872	
	UNEMPLOYMENT	93,619	88,224	84,363	82,290	79,685	77,742	74,656	71,267	67,845	65,226	62,850	61,224	
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.2	3.9	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.5	3.3	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.7	
ANNISTON-OXFORD MA	LABOR FORCE	46,432	46,443	46,327	46,428	46,131	46,191	46,108	46,037	45,693	46,166	46,152	45,878	46,166
	EMPLOYMENT	44,029	44,225	44,320	44,611	44,358	43,912	44,044	44,112	44,065	44,577	44,838	44,587	44,307
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,403	2,218	2,007	1,817	1,773	2,279	2,064	1,925	1,628	1,589	1,314	1,291	1,859
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.2	4.8	4.3	3.9	3.8	4.9	4.5	4.2	3.6	3.4	2.8	2.8	4.0
AUBURN-OPELIKA MA	LABOR FORCE	75,962	76,659	76,489	76,933	76,431	76,428	76,477	76,647	77,000	77,499	78,263	77,648	76,870
	EMPLOYMENT	73,151	74,115	74,222	74,939	74,420	73,785	74,144	74,351	75,085	75,704	76,631	76,107	74,721
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,811	2,544	2,267	1,994	2,011	2,643	2,333	2,296	1,915	1,795	1,632	1,541	2,149
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.7	3.3	3.0	2.6	2.6	3.5	3.1	3.0	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.0	2.8
BIRMINGHAM-HOOVER MA	LABOR FORCE	554,461	556,288	554,837	559,949	558,406	558,880	559,517	557,432	555,436	557,585	563,074	563,017	558,240
	EMPLOYMENT	531,698	535,368	536,143	542,964	542,124	537,862	540,821	539,583	540,860	543,650	550,571	550,804	541,037
	UNEMPLOYMENT	22,763	20,920	18,694	16,985	16,282	21,018	18,696	17,849	14,576	13,935	12,503	12,213	17,203
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.1	3.8	3.4	3.0	2.9	3.8	3.3	3.2	2.6	2.5	2.2	2.2	3.1
DAPHNE MA	LABOR FORCE	96,268	97,007	97,863	99,398	100,146	101,752	102,163	100,281	99,558	99,887	100,051	99,858	99,520
	EMPLOYMENT	92,308	93,359	94,678	96,540	97,456	98,245	99,079	97,275	97,073	97,618	97,932	97,860	96,619
	UNEMPLOYMENT	3,960	3,648	3,185	2,858	2,690	3,507	3,084	3,006	2,485	2,269	2,119	1,998	2,901
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.1	3.8	3.3	2.9	2.7	3.4	3.0	3.0	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.0	2.9
DECATUR MA	LABOR FORCE	73,605	73,778	73,717	73,891	73,890	74,136	74,167	73,800	73,728	73,892	74,415	74,585	73,967
	EMPLOYMENT	71,011	71,444	71,617	72,016	72,063	71,735	72,101	71,804	72,042	72,373	72,987	73,210	72,034
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,594	2,334	2,100	1,875	1,827	2,401	2,066	1,996	1,686	1,519	1,428	1,375	1,933
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.5	3.2	2.8	2.5	2.5	3.2	2.8	2.7	2.3	2.1	1.9	1.8	2.6
DOTHAN MA	LABOR FORCE	64,591	64,904	64,538	64,564	64,637	64,784	65,086	64,982	65,087	65,287	65,336	65,085	64,906
	EMPLOYMENT	61,832	62,375	62,283	62,533	62,676	62,201	62,777	62,742	63,298	63,635	63,831	63,637	62,818
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,759	2,529	2,255	2,031	1,961	2,583	2,309	2,240	1,789	1,652	1,505	1,448	2,088
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.3	3.9	3.5	3.1	3.0	4.0	3.5	3.4	2.7	2.5	2.3	2.2	3.2
FLORENCE-MUSCLE SHOALS MA	LABOR FORCE	65,571	65,445	65,596	65,731	65,683	65,503	65,365	65,230	65,276	66,246	66,349	66,242	65,686
	EMPLOYMENT	62,740	62,808	63,219	63,605	63,558	62,740	62,824	62,914	63,339	64,439	64,731	64,617	63,461
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,831	2,637	2,377	2,126	2,125	2,763	2,541	2,316	1,937	1,807	1,618	1,625	2,225
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.3	4.0	3.6	3.2	3.2	4.2	3.9	3.6	3.0	2.7	2.4	2.5	3.4
GADSDEN MA	LABOR FORCE	39,828	39,772	39,566	39,566	39,328	39,415	39,183	38,933	38,894	38,854	39,012	38,850	39,267
	EMPLOYMENT	37,742	37,849	37,851	38,034	37,814	37,500	37,469	37,348	37,546	37,595	37,897	37,769	37,701
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,086	1,923	1,715	1,532	1,514	1,915	1,714	1,585	1,348	1,259	1,115	1,081	1,566
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.2	4.8	4.3	3.9	3.8	4.9	4.4	4.1	3.5	3.2	2.9	2.8	4.0
HUNTSVILLE MA	LABOR FORCE	236,238	237,397	238,473	240,553	240,550	240,007	239,708	239,396	240,007	240,910	242,342	242,200	239,815
	EMPLOYMENT	228,156	229,992	231,796	234,604	234,736	232,450	233,078	232,984	234,651	235,933	237,664	237,826	233,656
	UNEMPLOYMENT	8,082	7,405	6,677	5,949	5,814	7,557	6,630	6,412	5,356	4,977	4,678	4,374	6,159
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.4	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.4	3.1	2.8	2.7	2.2	2.1	1.9	1.8	2.6
MOBILE MA	LABOR FORCE	189,491	189,346	188,940	190,058	189,685	190,718	190,582	189,244	189,344	190,110	190,737	190,270	189,877
	EMPLOYMENT	177,799	178,368	179,208	181,294	181,134	179,948	180,951	180,226	182,118	183,204	184,940	184,347	181,128
	UNEMPLOYMENT	11,692	10,978	9,732	8,764	8,551	10,770	9,631	9,018	7,226	6,906	5,797	5,923	8,749
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.2	5.8	5.2	4.6	4.5	5.6	5.1	4.8	3.8	3.6	3.0	3.1	4.6
MONTGOMERY MA	LABOR FORCE	174,493	175,009	174,319	174,855	174,289	174,610	174,539	174,560	173,245	174,108	175,132	175,643	174,567
	EMPLOYMENT	165,059	166,269	166,679	167,896	167,446	166,038	166,717	167,398	167,280	168,512	170,425	170,810	167,544
	UNEMPLOYMENT	9,434	8,740	7,640	6,959	6,843	8,572	7,822	7,162	5,965	5,596	4,707	4,833	7,023
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.4	5.0	4.4	4.0	3.9	4.9	4.5	4.1	3.4	3.2	2.7	2.8	4.0
TUSCALOOSA MA	LABOR FORCE	114,844	115,640	114,907	115,505	113,768	113,351	113,755	113,672	114,657	114,827	115,958	114,823	114,643
	EMPLOYMENT	109,242	110,577	110,410	111,431	109,649	108,139	108,949	109,350	111,116	111,467	113,062	111,993	110,449
	UNEMPLOYMENT	5,602	5,063	4,497	4,074	4,119	5,212	4,806	4,322	3,541	3,360	2,896	2,830	4,194
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.9	4.4	3.9	3.5	3.6	4.6	4.2	3.8	3.1	2.9	2.5	2.5	3.7

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AUTAUGA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	26,272	26,369	26,320	26,387	26,312	26,372	26,407	26,461	26,312	26,513	26,697	26,730	26,429
	EMPLOYMENT	25,293	25,471	25,522	25,701	25,648	25,476	25,618	25,705	25,675	25,917	26,154	26,200	25,698
	UNEMPLOYMENT	979	898	798	686	664	896	789	756	637	596	543	530	731
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.7	3.4	3.0	2.6	2.5	3.4	3.0	2.9	2.4	2.2	2.0	2.0	2.8
BALDWIN COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	96,268	97,007	97,863	99,398	100,146	101,752	102,163	100,281	99,558	99,887	100,051	99,858	99,520
	EMPLOYMENT	92,308	93,359	94,678	96,540	97,456	98,245	99,079	97,275	97,073	97,618	97,932	97,860	96,619
	UNEMPLOYMENT	3,960	3,648	3,185	2,858	2,690	3,507	3,084	3,006	2,485	2,269	2,119	1,998	2,901
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.1	3.8	3.3	2.9	2.7	3.4	3.0	3.0	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.0	2.9
BARBOUR COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	8,257	8,300	8,178	8,128	8,092	8,216	8,232	8,244	8,239	8,318	8,337	8,373	8,243
	EMPLOYMENT	7,648	7,725	7,667	7,668	7,666	7,690	7,750	7,777	7,836	7,935	8,030	8,051	7,787
	UNEMPLOYMENT	609	575	511	460	426	526	482	467	403	383	307	322	456
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.4	6.9	6.2	5.7	5.3	6.4	5.9	5.7	4.9	4.6	3.7	3.8	5.5
BIBB COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	8,567	8,583	8,536	8,614	8,594	8,616	8,631	8,596	8,572	8,595	8,674	8,662	8,604
	EMPLOYMENT	8,165	8,225	8,223	8,325	8,303	8,258	8,315	8,293	8,319	8,373	8,469	8,471	8,312
	UNEMPLOYMENT	402	358	313	289	291	358	316	303	253	222	205	191	292
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.7	4.2	3.7	3.4	3.4	4.2	3.7	3.5	3.0	2.6	2.4	2.2	3.4
BLOUNT COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	24,942	25,038	24,972	25,238	25,111	25,246	25,398	25,309	25,254	25,481	25,638	25,587	25,268
	EMPLOYMENT	24,192	24,354	24,329	24,614	24,578	24,532	24,768	24,674	24,725	24,994	25,169	25,153	24,674
	UNEMPLOYMENT	750	684	643	624	533	714	630	635	529	487	469	434	594
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.0	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.1	2.8	2.5	2.5	2.1	1.9	1.8	1.7	2.4
BULLOCK COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	4,684	4,722	4,568	4,485	4,397	4,603	4,658	4,652	4,637	4,748	4,607	4,638	4,617
	EMPLOYMENT	4,444	4,498	4,370	4,301	4,230	4,404	4,468	4,453	4,476	4,590	4,485	4,513	4,436
	UNEMPLOYMENT	240	224	198	184	167	199	190	199	161	158	122	125	181
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.1	4.7	4.3	4.1	3.8	4.3	4.1	4.3	3.5	3.3	2.6	2.7	3.9
BUTLER COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	8,914	8,928	8,807	8,743	8,672	8,808	8,861	8,780	8,626	8,780	8,727	8,718	8,781
	EMPLOYMENT	8,314	8,354	8,309	8,308	8,241	8,274	8,346	8,342	8,246	8,408	8,420	8,417	8,332
	UNEMPLOYMENT	600	574	498	435	431	534	515	438	380	372	307	301	449
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.7	6.4	5.7	5.0	5.0	6.1	5.8	5.0	4.4	4.2	3.5	3.5	5.1
CALHOUN COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	46,432	46,443	46,327	46,428	46,131	46,191	46,108	46,037	45,693	46,166	46,152	45,878	46,166
	EMPLOYMENT	44,029	44,225	44,320	44,611	44,358	43,912	44,044	44,112	44,065	44,577	44,838	44,587	44,307
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,403	2,218	2,007	1,817	1,773	2,279	2,064	1,925	1,628	1,589	1,314	1,291	1,859
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.2	4.8	4.3	3.9	3.8	4.9	4.5	4.2	3.6	3.4	2.8	2.8	4.0
CHAMBERS COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	15,810	15,856	15,695	15,741	15,577	15,524	15,640	15,748	15,648	15,818	15,816	15,783	15,722
	EMPLOYMENT	14,993	15,133	15,060	15,183	15,019	14,842	15,035	15,184	15,183	15,368	15,430	15,426	15,155
	UNEMPLOYMENT	817	723	635	558	558	682	605	564	465	450	386	357	567
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.2	4.6	4.0	3.5	3.6	4.4	3.9	3.6	3.0	2.8	2.4	2.3	3.6
CHEROKEE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	11,473	11,530	11,567	11,624	11,771	11,833	11,785	11,646	11,709	11,640	11,509	11,526	11,635
	EMPLOYMENT	11,087	11,195	11,259	11,361	11,496	11,460	11,470	11,341	11,441	11,392	11,279	11,307	11,341
	UNEMPLOYMENT	386	335	308	263	275	373	315	305	268	248	230	219	294
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.4	2.9	2.7	2.3	2.3	3.2	2.7	2.6	2.3	2.1	2.0	1.9	2.5
CHILTON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	19,709	19,802	19,672	19,822	19,758	19,907	20,028	19,929	19,899	20,090	20,208	20,184	19,918
	EMPLOYMENT	18,988	19,139	19,078	19,302	19,223	19,227	19,415	19,344	19,422	19,628	19,780	19,772	19,360
	UNEMPLOYMENT	721	663	594	520	535	680	613	585	477	462	428	412	558
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.7	3.3	3.0	2.6	2.7	3.4	3.1	2.9	2.4	2.3	2.1	2.0	2.8
CHOCTAW COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	4,778	4,811	4,731	4,597	4,516	4,630	4,528	4,405	4,407	4,358	4,369	4,434	4,547
	EMPLOYMENT	4,508	4,559	4,515	4,406	4,336	4,396	4,319	4,214	4,234	4,202	4,229	4,295	4,351
	UNEMPLOYMENT	270	252	216	191	180	234	209	191	173	156	140	139	196
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.7	5.2	4.6	4.2	4.0	5.1	4.6	4.3	3.9	3.6	3.2	3.1	4.3
CLARKE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	7,716	7,676	7,629	7,674	7,648	7,737	7,725	7,715	7,728	7,712	7,724	7,736	7,702
	EMPLOYMENT	7,128	7,118	7,129	7,239	7,239	7,207	7,243	7,252	7,340	7,347	7,411	7,413	7,255
	UNEMPLOYMENT	588	558	500	435	418	530	482	463	388	365	313	323	447
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.6	7.3	6.6	5.7	5.5	6.9	6.2	6.0	5.0	4.7	4.1	4.2	5.8

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CLAY COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	6,132	6,137	6,062	6,054	5,920	6,022	5,996	5,943	5,936	6,021	6,000	6,032	6,021
	EMPLOYMENT	5,907	5,926	5,884	5,895	5,770	5,819	5,823	5,771	5,798	5,895	5,888	5,925	5,858
	UNEMPLOYMENT	225	211	178	159	150	203	173	172	138	126	112	107	163
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.7	3.4	2.9	2.6	2.5	3.4	2.9	2.9	2.3	2.1	1.9	1.8	2.7
CLEBURNE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	5,833	5,802	5,767	5,753	5,720	5,805	5,942	5,958	5,959	6,063	6,019	6,026	5,888
	EMPLOYMENT	5,635	5,617	5,613	5,610	5,578	5,623	5,784	5,797	5,827	5,941	5,899	5,916	5,737
	UNEMPLOYMENT	198	185	154	143	142	182	158	161	132	122	120	110	151
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.4	3.2	2.7	2.5	2.5	3.1	2.7	2.7	2.2	2.0	2.0	1.8	2.6
COFFEE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	21,398	21,489	21,226	21,364	21,299	21,505	21,779	21,739	21,681	21,741	21,637	21,505	21,530
	EMPLOYMENT	20,631	20,785	20,599	20,811	20,745	20,744	21,124	21,075	21,147	21,248	21,163	21,050	20,927
	UNEMPLOYMENT	767	704	627	553	554	761	655	664	534	493	474	455	603
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.6	3.3	3.0	2.6	2.6	3.5	3.0	3.1	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.8
COLBERT COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	23,487	23,497	23,495	23,548	23,494	23,453	23,382	23,312	23,338	23,677	23,709	23,679	23,506
	EMPLOYMENT	22,347	22,385	22,513	22,652	22,604	22,320	22,341	22,379	22,555	22,932	23,058	23,023	22,592
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,140	1,112	982	896	890	1,133	1,041	933	783	745	651	656	914
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.9	4.7	4.2	3.8	3.8	4.8	4.5	4.0	3.4	3.1	2.7	2.8	3.9
CONECUH COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	4,422	4,403	4,356	4,385	4,365	4,387	4,451	4,427	4,370	4,327	4,282	4,273	4,371
	EMPLOYMENT	4,155	4,154	4,133	4,176	4,164	4,139	4,214	4,210	4,195	4,153	4,143	4,139	4,165
	UNEMPLOYMENT	267	249	223	209	201	248	237	217	175	174	139	134	206
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.0	5.7	5.1	4.8	4.6	5.7	5.3	4.9	4.0	4.0	3.2	3.1	4.7
COOSA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	4,338	4,327	4,302	4,342	4,342	4,365	4,351	4,318	4,338	4,425	4,396	4,384	4,352
	EMPLOYMENT	4,147	4,163	4,161	4,215	4,219	4,214	4,212	4,177	4,220	4,318	4,297	4,299	4,220
	UNEMPLOYMENT	191	164	141	127	123	151	139	141	118	107	99	85	132
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.4	3.8	3.3	2.9	2.8	3.5	3.2	3.3	2.7	2.4	2.3	1.9	3.0
COVINGTON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	14,871	14,979	14,960	15,052	15,039	15,244	15,291	15,320	15,289	15,470	15,297	15,186	15,166
	EMPLOYMENT	14,265	14,407	14,462	14,623	14,622	14,701	14,793	14,845	14,882	15,101	14,965	14,867	14,711
	UNEMPLOYMENT	606	572	498	429	417	543	498	475	407	369	332	319	455
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.1	3.8	3.3	2.9	2.8	3.6	3.3	3.1	2.7	2.4	2.2	2.1	3.0
CRENSHAW COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	6,126	6,163	6,052	6,094	5,953	6,113	6,163	6,108	6,110	6,197	6,097	6,063	6,103
	EMPLOYMENT	5,848	5,900	5,828	5,910	5,773	5,882	5,956	5,907	5,934	6,030	5,950	5,921	5,903
	UNEMPLOYMENT	278	263	224	184	180	231	207	201	176	167	147	142	200
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.5	4.3	3.7	3.0	3.0	3.8	3.4	3.3	2.9	2.7	2.4	2.3	3.3
CULLMAN COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	38,358	38,445	38,508	38,489	38,429	38,472	38,610	38,613	38,915	39,371	39,483	39,454	38,763
	EMPLOYMENT	37,178	37,377	37,536	37,605	37,552	37,354	37,641	37,673	38,118	38,654	38,781	38,812	37,857
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,180	1,068	972	884	877	1,118	969	940	797	717	702	642	906
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.3	2.3	2.9	2.5	2.4	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.6	2.3
DALE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	20,860	20,935	20,787	20,824	20,828	20,897	21,010	20,888	20,983	20,980	20,868	20,742	20,883
	EMPLOYMENT	19,986	20,140	20,073	20,217	20,234	20,119	20,326	20,191	20,394	20,429	20,369	20,262	20,228
	UNEMPLOYMENT	874	795	714	607	594	778	684	697	589	551	499	480	655
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.2	3.8	3.4	2.9	2.9	3.7	3.3	3.3	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.3	3.1
DALLAS COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	13,986	13,942	13,792	13,851	13,709	13,901	14,102	14,129	13,960	13,952	13,788	13,717	13,902
	EMPLOYMENT	12,734	12,774	12,761	12,927	12,809	12,768	12,948	13,103	13,048	13,056	13,101	13,023	12,921
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,252	1,168	1,031	924	900	1,133	1,154	1,026	912	896	687	694	981
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.0	8.4	7.5	6.7	6.6	8.2	8.2	7.3	6.5	6.4	5.0	5.1	7.1
DEKALB COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	30,513	30,691	30,562	30,658	30,591	31,043	31,384	30,822	31,017	31,098	31,050	30,979	30,867
	EMPLOYMENT	29,475	29,757	29,733	29,954	29,891	30,103	30,544	30,006	30,326	30,359	30,458	30,419	30,085
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,038	934	829	704	700	940	840	816	691	739	592	560	782
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.4	3.0	2.7	2.3	2.3	3.0	2.7	2.6	2.2	2.4	1.9	1.8	2.5

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ELMORE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	37,503	37,643	37,593	37,754	37,675	37,603	37,612	37,736	37,504	37,736	38,063	38,072	37,708
	EMPLOYMENT	36,143	36,387	36,505	36,769	36,717	36,394	36,552	36,693	36,634	36,926	37,313	37,388	36,702
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,360	1,256	1,088	985	958	1,209	1,060	1,043	870	810	750	684	1,006
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.6	3.3	2.9	2.6	2.5	3.2	2.8	2.8	2.3	2.1	2.0	1.8	2.7
ESCAMBIA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	14,109	14,099	14,073	14,150	14,069	14,173	14,186	14,111	14,043	14,089	13,961	13,909	14,081
	EMPLOYMENT	13,339	13,386	13,451	13,570	13,513	13,504	13,585	13,520	13,566	13,643	13,600	13,541	13,518
	UNEMPLOYMENT	770	713	622	580	556	669	601	591	477	446	361	368	563
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.5	5.1	4.4	4.1	4.0	4.7	4.2	4.2	3.4	3.2	2.6	2.6	4.0
ETOWAH COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	39,828	39,772	39,566	39,566	39,328	39,415	39,183	38,933	38,894	38,854	39,012	38,850	39,267
	EMPLOYMENT	37,742	37,849	37,851	38,034	37,814	37,500	37,469	37,348	37,546	37,595	37,897	37,769	37,701
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,086	1,923	1,715	1,532	1,514	1,915	1,714	1,585	1,348	1,259	1,115	1,081	1,566
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.2	4.8	4.3	3.9	3.8	4.9	4.4	4.1	3.5	3.2	2.9	2.8	4.0
FAYETTE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	6,510	6,591	6,594	6,648	6,598	6,670	6,666	6,577	6,665	6,604	6,628	6,599	6,612
	EMPLOYMENT	6,242	6,339	6,375	6,459	6,419	6,430	6,458	6,368	6,486	6,438	6,468	6,451	6,411
	UNEMPLOYMENT	268	252	219	189	179	240	208	209	179	166	160	148	201
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.1	3.8	3.3	2.8	2.7	3.6	3.1	3.2	2.7	2.5	2.4	2.2	3.0
FRANKLIN COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	14,335	14,300	14,280	14,363	14,204	14,136	14,244	14,201	14,314	14,338	14,413	14,349	14,289
	EMPLOYMENT	13,871	13,883	13,902	14,020	13,878	13,700	13,821	13,818	13,990	14,048	14,150	14,083	13,930
	UNEMPLOYMENT	464	417	378	343	326	436	423	383	324	290	263	266	359
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.2	2.9	2.6	2.4	2.3	3.1	3.0	2.7	2.3	2.0	1.8	1.9	2.5
GENEVA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	10,890	10,972	10,833	10,826	10,811	10,976	11,133	11,086	11,123	11,273	11,191	11,133	11,020
	EMPLOYMENT	10,498	10,597	10,508	10,534	10,533	10,606	10,794	10,753	10,856	11,038	10,960	10,907	10,715
	UNEMPLOYMENT	392	375	325	292	278	370	339	333	267	235	231	226	305
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.6	3.4	3.0	2.7	2.6	3.4	3.0	3.0	2.4	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.8
GREENE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	2,948	2,926	2,908	2,974	2,945	2,987	2,871	2,810	2,817	2,871	2,804	2,796	2,888
	EMPLOYMENT	2,684	2,687	2,692	2,786	2,766	2,759	2,663	2,628	2,658	2,718	2,683	2,674	2,700
	UNEMPLOYMENT	264	239	216	188	179	228	208	182	159	153	121	122	188
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.0	8.2	7.4	6.3	6.1	7.6	7.2	6.5	5.6	5.3	4.3	4.4	6.5
HALE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	5,893	5,941	5,800	5,783	5,673	5,845	5,938	5,885	5,930	6,043	5,994	5,927	5,888
	EMPLOYMENT	5,465	5,546	5,457	5,491	5,365	5,440	5,560	5,551	5,660	5,782	5,768	5,704	5,566
	UNEMPLOYMENT	428	395	343	292	308	405	378	334	270	261	226	223	322
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.3	6.6	5.9	5.0	5.4	6.9	6.4	5.7	4.6	4.3	3.8	3.8	5.5
HENRY COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	6,855	6,880	6,836	6,833	6,863	6,876	6,936	6,922	6,926	6,979	6,956	6,924	6,899
	EMPLOYMENT	6,564	6,616	6,602	6,626	6,651	6,622	6,702	6,690	6,739	6,803	6,794	6,769	6,682
	UNEMPLOYMENT	291	264	234	207	212	254	234	232	187	176	162	155	217
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.2	3.8	3.4	3.0	3.1	3.7	3.4	3.4	2.7	2.5	2.3	2.2	3.1
HOUSTON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	46,846	47,052	46,869	46,905	46,963	46,932	47,017	46,974	47,038	47,035	47,189	47,028	46,988
	EMPLOYMENT	44,770	45,162	45,173	45,373	45,492	44,973	45,281	45,299	45,703	45,794	46,077	45,961	45,422
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,076	1,890	1,696	1,532	1,471	1,959	1,736	1,675	1,335	1,241	1,112	1,067	1,566
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.4	4.0	3.6	3.3	3.1	4.2	3.7	3.6	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.3	3.3
JACKSON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	22,701	22,906	22,707	22,948	22,820	22,990	23,000	22,962	23,011	23,091	23,265	23,262	22,972
	EMPLOYMENT	21,852	22,037	22,015	22,346	22,218	22,215	22,325	22,287	22,439	22,555	22,772	22,772	22,319
	UNEMPLOYMENT	849	869	692	602	602	775	675	675	572	536	493	490	653
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.7	3.8	3.0	2.6	2.6	3.4	2.9	2.9	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.8
JEFFERSON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	317,514	318,413	317,383	320,270	319,320	319,559	319,623	318,377	316,908	317,847	320,884	321,041	318,929
	EMPLOYMENT	302,448	304,557	305,099	309,029	308,517	305,813	307,292	306,666	307,427	308,725	312,956	313,146	307,640
	UNEMPLOYMENT	15,066	13,856	12,284	11,241	10,803	13,746	12,331	11,711	9,481	9,122	7,928	7,895	11,289
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.7	4.4	3.9	3.5	3.4	4.3	3.9	3.7	3.0	2.9	2.5	2.5	3.5

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LAMAR COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	5,710	5,686	5,679	5,723	5,665	5,699	5,734	5,661	5,669	5,682	5,663	5,616	5,682
	EMPLOYMENT	5,491	5,483	5,502	5,566	5,514	5,482	5,538	5,476	5,518	5,556	5,538	5,504	5,514
	UNEMPLOYMENT	219	203	177	157	151	217	196	185	151	126	125	112	168
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.8	3.6	3.1	2.7	2.7	3.8	3.4	3.3	2.7	2.2	2.2	2.0	3.0
LAUDERDALE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	42,084	41,948	42,101	42,183	42,189	42,050	41,983	41,918	41,938	42,569	42,640	42,563	42,181
	EMPLOYMENT	40,393	40,423	40,706	40,953	40,954	40,420	40,483	40,535	40,784	41,507	41,673	41,594	40,869
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,691	1,525	1,395	1,230	1,235	1,630	1,500	1,383	1,154	1,062	967	969	1,312
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.0	3.6	3.3	2.9	2.9	3.9	3.6	3.3	2.8	2.5	2.3	2.3	3.1
LAWRENCE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	14,351	14,378	14,339	14,371	14,369	14,489	14,543	14,442	14,420	14,493	14,540	14,557	14,441
	EMPLOYMENT	13,804	13,887	13,898	13,969	13,979	13,968	14,076	14,005	14,049	14,166	14,235	14,266	14,025
	UNEMPLOYMENT	547	491	441	402	390	521	467	437	371	327	305	291	416
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.8	3.4	3.1	2.8	2.7	3.6	3.2	3.0	2.6	2.3	2.1	2.0	2.9
LEE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	75,962	76,659	76,489	76,933	76,431	76,428	76,477	76,647	77,000	77,499	78,263	77,648	76,870
	EMPLOYMENT	73,151	74,115	74,222	74,939	74,420	73,785	74,144	74,351	75,085	75,704	76,631	76,107	74,721
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,811	2,544	2,267	1,994	2,011	2,643	2,333	2,296	1,915	1,795	1,632	1,541	2,149
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.7	3.3	3.0	2.6	2.6	3.5	3.1	3.0	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.0	2.8
LIMESTONE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	45,982	46,248	46,403	46,794	46,845	46,819	46,804	46,726	46,889	47,146	47,369	47,320	46,779
	EMPLOYMENT	44,545	44,915	45,203	45,736	45,734	45,402	45,591	45,549	45,889	46,224	46,486	46,504	45,648
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,437	1,333	1,200	1,058	1,111	1,417	1,213	1,177	1,000	922	883	816	1,131
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.1	2.9	2.6	2.3	2.4	3.0	2.6	2.5	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.7	2.4
LOWNDES COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	3,620	3,618	3,562	3,564	3,538	3,614	3,618	3,575	3,511	3,552	3,522	3,547	3,570
	EMPLOYMENT	3,206	3,235	3,223	3,244	3,223	3,226	3,256	3,262	3,270	3,312	3,334	3,339	3,261
	UNEMPLOYMENT	414	383	339	320	315	388	362	313	241	240	188	208	309
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	11.4	10.6	9.5	9.0	8.9	10.7	10.0	8.8	6.9	6.8	5.3	5.9	8.7
MACON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	7,938	7,995	7,904	7,950	7,858	7,903	7,890	7,937	7,885	7,873	7,864	7,831	7,902
	EMPLOYMENT	7,346	7,430	7,415	7,508	7,428	7,369	7,375	7,451	7,482	7,488	7,553	7,509	7,446
	UNEMPLOYMENT	592	565	489	442	430	534	515	486	403	385	311	322	456
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.5	7.1	6.2	5.6	5.5	6.8	6.5	6.1	5.1	4.9	4.0	4.1	5.8
MADISON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	190,256	191,149	192,070	193,759	193,705	193,188	192,904	192,670	193,118	193,764	194,973	194,880	193,037
	EMPLOYMENT	183,611	185,077	186,593	188,868	189,002	187,048	187,487	187,435	188,762	189,709	191,178	191,322	188,008
	UNEMPLOYMENT	6,645	6,072	5,477	4,891	4,703	6,140	5,417	5,235	4,356	4,055	3,795	3,558	5,029
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.5	3.2	2.9	2.5	2.4	3.2	2.8	2.7	2.3	2.1	1.9	1.8	2.6
MARENGO COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	7,557	7,569	7,588	7,637	7,625	7,695	7,606	7,633	7,624	7,671	7,586	7,533	7,610
	EMPLOYMENT	7,147	7,174	7,246	7,335	7,336	7,317	7,267	7,285	7,339	7,399	7,353	7,307	7,292
	UNEMPLOYMENT	410	395	342	302	289	378	339	348	285	272	233	226	318
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.4	5.2	4.5	4.0	3.8	4.9	4.5	4.6	3.7	3.5	3.1	3.0	4.2
MARION COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	13,353	13,321	13,271	13,275	13,391	13,514	13,357	13,270	13,485	13,570	13,659	13,688	13,430
	EMPLOYMENT	12,850	12,860	12,866	12,901	13,061	13,051	12,950	12,869	13,167	13,275	13,380	13,424	13,055
	UNEMPLOYMENT	503	461	405	374	330	463	407	318	318	295	279	264	375
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.8	3.5	3.1	2.8	2.5	3.4	3.0	3.0	2.4	2.2	2.0	1.9	2.8
MARSHALL COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	44,235	44,430	44,474	44,786	44,806	44,998	44,845	44,620	44,622	44,858	45,001	44,770	44,704
	EMPLOYMENT	42,834	43,131	43,316	43,800	43,817	43,702	43,732	43,503	43,674	44,013	44,179	44,021	43,644
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,401	1,299	1,158	986	989	1,296	1,113	1,117	948	845	822	749	1,060
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.2	2.9	2.6	2.2	2.2	2.9	2.5	2.5	2.1	1.9	1.8	1.7	2.4
MOBILE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	189,491	189,346	188,940	190,058	189,685	190,718	190,582	189,244	189,344	190,110	190,737	190,270	189,877
	EMPLOYMENT	177,799	178,368	179,208	181,294	181,134	179,948	180,951	180,226	182,118	183,204	184,940	184,347	181,128
	UNEMPLOYMENT	11,692	10,978	9,732	8,764	8,551	10,770	9,631	9,018	7,226	6,906	5,797	5,923	8,749
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.2	5.8	5.2	4.6	4.5	5.6	5.1	4.8	3.8	3.6	3.0	3.1	4.6

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MONROE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	7,330	7,354	7,373	7,331	7,284	7,333	7,340	7,296	7,357	7,384	7,318	7,329	7,336
	EMPLOYMENT	6,762	6,848	6,896	6,925	6,892	6,861	6,912	6,885	7,032	7,075	7,057	7,054	6,933
	UNEMPLOYMENT	568	506	477	406	392	472	428	411	325	309	261	275	403
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.7	6.9	6.5	5.5	5.4	6.4	5.8	5.6	4.4	4.2	3.6	3.8	5.5
MONTGOMERY COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	107,098	107,379	106,844	107,150	106,764	107,021	106,902	106,788	105,918	106,307	106,850	107,294	106,859
	EMPLOYMENT	100,417	101,176	101,429	102,182	101,858	100,942	101,291	101,738	101,701	102,357	103,624	103,883	101,883
	UNEMPLOYMENT	6,681	6,203	5,415	4,968	4,906	6,079	5,611	5,050	4,217	3,950	3,226	3,411	4,976
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.2	5.8	5.1	4.6	4.6	5.7	5.2	4.7	4.0	3.7	3.0	3.2	4.7
MORGAN COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	59,254	59,400	59,378	59,520	59,521	59,647	59,624	59,358	59,308	59,399	59,875	60,028	59,526
	EMPLOYMENT	57,207	57,557	57,719	58,047	58,084	57,767	58,025	57,799	57,993	58,207	58,752	58,944	58,008
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,047	1,843	1,659	1,473	1,437	1,880	1,599	1,559	1,315	1,192	1,123	1,084	1,518
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.5	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.4	3.2	2.7	2.6	2.2	2.0	1.9	1.8	2.6
PERRY COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	3,224	3,236	3,157	3,142	3,107	3,226	3,321	3,260	3,181	3,205	3,123	3,122	3,192
	EMPLOYMENT	2,922	2,948	2,904	2,899	2,867	2,912	3,001	2,978	2,960	2,989	2,952	2,956	2,941
	UNEMPLOYMENT	302	288	253	243	240	314	320	282	221	216	171	166	251
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.4	8.9	8.0	7.7	7.7	9.7	9.6	8.7	6.9	6.7	5.5	5.3	7.9
PICKENS COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	7,502	7,565	7,472	7,490	7,357	7,438	7,511	7,475	7,553	7,616	7,623	7,548	7,513
	EMPLOYMENT	7,109	7,200	7,150	7,206	7,077	7,058	7,155	7,163	7,285	7,368	7,417	7,341	7,211
	UNEMPLOYMENT	393	365	322	284	280	380	356	312	268	248	206	207	302
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.2	4.8	4.3	3.8	3.8	5.1	4.7	4.2	3.5	3.3	2.7	2.7	4.0
PIKE COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	15,749	15,934	15,949	16,011	15,801	15,938	15,865	16,045	16,035	16,278	16,289	16,271	16,014
	EMPLOYMENT	15,079	15,326	15,386	15,542	15,347	15,334	15,345	15,524	15,581	15,867	15,896	15,872	15,508
	UNEMPLOYMENT	670	608	563	469	454	604	520	521	454	411	393	399	506
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.3	3.8	3.5	2.9	2.9	3.8	3.3	3.2	2.8	2.5	2.4	2.5	3.2
RANDOLPH COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	9,240	9,264	9,256	9,382	9,398	9,450	9,539	9,525	9,418	9,718	9,612	9,588	9,449
	EMPLOYMENT	8,923	8,968	8,973	9,118	9,163	9,144	9,265	9,251	9,183	9,506	9,412	9,402	9,192
	UNEMPLOYMENT	317	296	283	264	235	306	274	274	235	212	200	186	257
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.4	3.2	3.1	2.8	2.5	3.2	2.9	2.9	2.5	2.2	2.1	1.9	2.7
RUSSELL COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	23,418	23,464	23,355	23,439	23,244	23,260	23,153	23,171	23,220	23,329	23,572	23,431	23,339
	EMPLOYMENT	22,430	22,590	22,573	22,765	22,595	22,373	22,378	22,425	22,612	22,784	23,059	22,958	22,629
	UNEMPLOYMENT	988	874	782	674	649	887	775	746	608	545	513	473	710
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.2	3.7	3.3	2.9	2.8	3.8	3.3	3.2	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.0	3.0
ST. CLAIR COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	41,073	41,209	41,126	41,483	41,394	41,443	41,505	41,372	41,288	41,459	41,880	41,831	41,422
	EMPLOYMENT	39,637	39,902	39,958	40,461	40,415	40,121	40,366	40,263	40,344	40,588	41,064	41,075	40,350
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,436	1,307	1,168	1,022	979	1,322	1,139	1,109	944	871	816	756	1,072
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.5	3.2	2.8	2.5	2.4	3.2	2.7	2.7	2.3	2.1	1.9	1.8	2.6
SHELBY COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	117,583	118,089	118,073	119,327	119,053	118,820	119,011	118,656	118,462	118,898	120,373	120,313	118,888
	EMPLOYMENT	114,398	115,177	115,395	116,875	116,721	115,713	116,300	116,049	116,307	116,844	118,390	118,450	116,385
	UNEMPLOYMENT	3,185	2,912	2,678	2,452	2,332	3,107	2,711	2,607	2,155	2,054	1,983	1,863	2,503
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	2.7	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.0	2.6	2.3	2.2	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.5	2.1
SUMTER COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	4,576	4,542	4,489	4,522	4,471	4,431	4,516	4,542	4,493	4,717	4,536	4,517	4,530
	EMPLOYMENT	4,313	4,305	4,283	4,341	4,290	4,182	4,284	4,324	4,319	4,554	4,401	4,373	4,331
	UNEMPLOYMENT	263	237	206	181	181	249	232	218	174	163	135	144	199
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.7	5.2	4.6	4.0	4.0	5.6	5.1	4.8	3.9	3.5	3.0	3.2	4.4
TALLADEGA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	35,721	35,793	35,602	35,690	35,557	35,802	35,637	35,518	35,555	36,407	35,862	35,954	35,758
	EMPLOYMENT	33,925	34,079	34,092	34,347	34,233	34,081	34,009	33,998	34,255	35,074	34,788	34,868	34,312
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,796	1,714	1,510	1,343	1,324	1,721	1,628	1,520	1,300	1,333	1,074	1,086	1,446
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.0	4.8	4.2	3.8	3.7	4.8	4.6	4.3	3.7	3.7	3.0	3.0	4.0

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TALLAPOOSA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	17,909	17,956	17,731	18,036	18,064	18,005	18,157	17,840	17,800	17,756	17,779	17,802	17,903
	EMPLOYMENT	16,933	17,068	16,964	17,350	17,389	17,147	17,345	17,124	17,194	17,199	17,296	17,350	17,197
	UNEMPLOYMENT	976	888	767	686	675	858	812	716	606	557	483	452	706
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.4	4.9	4.3	3.8	3.7	4.8	4.5	4.0	3.4	3.1	2.7	2.5	3.9
TUSCALOOSA COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	101,449	102,134	101,635	102,232	100,738	100,068	100,306	100,312	101,174	101,168	102,341	101,348	101,242
	EMPLOYMENT	96,668	97,831	97,803	98,734	97,207	95,641	96,234	96,636	98,171	98,317	99,877	98,948	97,672
	UNEMPLOYMENT	4,781	4,303	3,832	3,498	3,531	4,427	4,072	3,676	3,003	2,851	2,464	2,400	3,570
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.7	4.2	3.8	3.4	3.5	4.4	4.1	3.7	3.0	2.8	2.4	2.4	3.5
WALKER COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	25,073	25,154	25,075	25,195	25,176	25,289	25,321	25,193	25,053	25,215	25,417	25,399	25,213
	EMPLOYMENT	23,870	24,014	24,061	24,358	24,367	24,198	24,365	24,294	24,316	24,498	24,743	24,737	24,318
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,203	1,140	1,014	837	809	1,091	956	899	737	717	674	662	895
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.8	4.5	4.0	3.3	3.2	4.3	3.8	3.6	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.6	3.5
WASHINGTON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	6,573	6,556	6,556	6,558	6,495	6,611	6,446	6,358	6,449	6,524	6,541	6,549	6,518
	EMPLOYMENT	6,187	6,203	6,223	6,277	6,222	6,244	6,107	6,043	6,188	6,292	6,328	6,340	6,221
	UNEMPLOYMENT	386	353	333	281	273	367	339	315	261	232	213	209	297
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.9	5.4	5.1	4.3	4.2	5.6	5.3	5.0	4.0	3.6	3.3	3.2	4.6
WILCOX COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	2,709	2,669	2,646	2,592	2,553	2,653	2,715	2,608	2,585	2,604	2,538	2,566	2,620
	EMPLOYMENT	2,359	2,330	2,325	2,324	2,297	2,340	2,400	2,326	2,354	2,369	2,360	2,367	2,346
	UNEMPLOYMENT	350	339	321	268	256	313	315	282	231	235	178	199	274
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	12.9	12.7	12.1	10.3	10.0	11.8	11.6	10.8	8.9	9.0	7.0	7.8	10.5
WINSTON COUNTY	LABOR FORCE	10,000	10,014	10,066	10,148	10,120	10,175	10,101	10,022	10,042	10,057	10,076	10,049	10,072
	EMPLOYMENT	9,613	9,675	9,764	9,885	9,874	9,838	9,822	9,728	9,798	9,836	9,866	9,858	9,796
	UNEMPLOYMENT	387	339	302	263	246	337	279	294	244	221	210	191	276
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.9	3.4	3.0	2.6	2.4	3.3	2.8	2.9	2.4	2.2	2.1	1.9	2.7
UNITED STATES SEASONALLY ADJUSTED	LABOR FORCE	160,014,000	160,133,000	160,395,000	160,884,000	160,737,000	161,294,000	161,558,000	161,558,000	161,568,000	161,748,000	162,241,000	162,429,000	
	EMPLOYMENT	149,817,000	150,140,000	150,660,000	151,083,000	151,487,000	151,747,000	152,789,000	153,270,000	153,909,000	154,504,000	155,508,000	156,124,000	
	UNEMPLOYMENT	10,196,000	9,992,000	9,734,000	9,801,000	9,250,000	9,547,000	8,770,000	8,288,000	7,659,000	7,244,000	6,733,000	6,305,000	
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.4	6.2	6.1	6.1	5.8	5.9	5.4	5.1	4.7	4.5	4.1	3.9	

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UNADJUSTED ALABAMA	LABOR FORCE	2,236,106	2,243,434	2,238,777	2,252,590	2,245,886	2,252,532	2,254,344	2,245,639	2,243,743	2,255,017	2,264,912	2,261,193	2,249,514
	EMPLOYMENT	2,135,955	2,151,086	2,156,680	2,178,934	2,174,128	2,160,282	2,171,531	2,167,216	2,178,912	2,193,811	2,210,897	2,208,304	2,173,978
	UNEMPLOYMENT	100,151	92,348	82,097	73,656	71,758	92,250	82,813	78,423	64,831	61,206	54,015	52,889	75,536
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.5	4.1	3.7	3.3	3.2	4.1	3.7	3.5	2.9	2.7	2.4	2.3	3.4
UNADJUSTED UNITED STATES	LABOR FORCE	159,234,000	160,008,000	160,397,000	160,379,000	160,607,000	162,167,000	162,817,000	161,788,000	161,392,000	161,863,000	162,099,000	161,696,000	161,204,000
	EMPLOYMENT	148,383,000	149,522,000	150,493,000	151,160,000	151,778,000	152,283,000	153,596,000	153,232,000	154,026,000	154,966,000	155,797,000	155,732,000	152,581,000
	UNEMPLOYMENT	10,851,000	10,486,000	9,905,000	9,220,000	8,829,000	9,883,000	9,221,000	8,556,000	7,366,000	6,896,000	6,302,000	5,964,000	8,623,000
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.8	6.6	6.2	5.7	5.5	6.1	5.7	5.3	4.6	4.3	3.9	3.7	5.3



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ALABASTER CITY	LABOR FORCE	18,362	18,425	18,468	18,623	18,585	18,591	18,663	18,527	18,507	18,593	18,801	18,802	18,579
	EMPLOYMENT	17,882	18,004	18,038	18,269	18,245	18,088	18,179	18,140	18,180	18,264	18,506	18,515	18,193
	UNEMPLOYMENT	480	421	430	354	340	503	484	387	327	329	295	287	386
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	2.6	2.3	2.3	1.9	1.8	2.7	2.6	2.1	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.5	2.1
ANNISTON CITY	LABOR FORCE	8,199	8,176	8,132	8,121	8,081	8,122	8,119	8,099	8,067	8,144	8,055	8,014	8,111
	EMPLOYMENT	7,587	7,621	7,637	7,688	7,644	7,567	7,590	7,602	7,594	7,682	7,727	7,683	7,635
	UNEMPLOYMENT	612	555	495	433	437	555	529	497	473	462	328	331	476
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.5	6.8	6.1	5.3	5.4	6.8	6.5	6.1	5.9	5.7	4.1	4.1	5.9
ATHENS CITY	LABOR FORCE	12,990	13,062	13,136	13,233	13,243	13,232	13,231	13,214	13,233	13,315	13,355	13,332	13,215
	EMPLOYMENT	12,605	12,709	12,791	12,942	12,941	12,847	12,901	12,889	12,985	13,080	13,154	13,159	12,917
	UNEMPLOYMENT	385	353	345	291	302	385	330	325	248	235	201	173	298
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.0	2.7	2.6	2.2	2.3	2.9	2.5	2.5	1.9	1.8	1.5	1.3	2.3
AUBURN CITY	LABOR FORCE	31,093	31,433	31,433	31,675	31,461	31,464	31,416	31,469	31,628	31,836	32,183	31,907	31,583
	EMPLOYMENT	30,104	30,501	30,545	30,840	30,626	30,365	30,513	30,598	30,900	31,155	31,536	31,321	30,750
	UNEMPLOYMENT	989	932	888	835	835	1,099	903	871	728	681	647	586	833
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.2	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.7	3.5	2.9	2.8	2.3	2.1	2.0	1.8	2.6
BESSEMER CITY	LABOR FORCE	10,070	9,984	9,865	9,919	9,946	9,926	9,862	9,917	9,849	9,874	9,884	9,894	9,916
	EMPLOYMENT	9,175	9,238	9,255	9,374	9,359	9,277	9,321	9,302	9,326	9,365	9,493	9,499	9,332
	UNEMPLOYMENT	895	746	610	545	587	649	541	615	523	509	391	395	584
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	8.9	7.5	6.2	5.5	5.9	6.5	5.5	6.2	5.3	5.2	4.0	4.0	5.9
BIRMINGHAM CITY	LABOR FORCE	93,244	93,300	92,627	93,184	93,124	93,471	93,541	93,102	92,443	92,551	93,055	93,061	93,058
	EMPLOYMENT	87,087	87,694	87,850	88,982	88,835	88,057	88,483	88,302	88,521	88,895	90,113	90,168	88,582
	UNEMPLOYMENT	6,157	5,606	4,777	4,202	4,289	5,414	5,058	4,800	3,922	3,656	2,942	2,893	4,476
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.6	6.0	5.2	4.5	4.6	5.8	5.4	5.2	4.2	4.0	3.2	3.1	4.8
DAPHNE CITY	LABOR FORCE	12,421	12,533	12,670	12,875	12,982	13,203	13,257	13,001	12,894	12,926	12,952	12,923	12,887
	EMPLOYMENT	11,951	12,087	12,258	12,499	12,617	12,719	12,827	12,594	12,568	12,638	12,679	12,669	12,509
	UNEMPLOYMENT	470	446	412	376	365	484	430	407	326	288	273	254	378
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.8	3.6	3.3	2.9	2.8	3.7	3.2	3.1	2.5	2.2	2.1	2.0	2.9
DECATUR CITY	LABOR FORCE	27,709	27,780	27,734	27,765	27,780	27,883	27,812	27,709	27,684	27,702	27,906	27,963	27,786
	EMPLOYMENT	26,602	26,764	26,840	26,993	27,010	26,863	26,983	26,878	26,968	27,067	27,321	27,411	26,975
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,107	1,016	894	772	770	1,020	829	831	716	635	585	552	811
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.0	3.7	3.2	2.8	2.8	3.7	3.0	3.0	2.6	2.3	2.1	2.0	2.9
DOTHAN CITY	LABOR FORCE	30,487	30,600	30,520	30,537	30,588	30,605	30,673	30,666	30,641	30,618	30,701	30,596	30,603
	EMPLOYMENT	29,098	29,351	29,356	29,488	29,565	29,232	29,434	29,440	29,704	29,763	29,940	29,863	29,520
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,389	1,249	1,164	1,049	1,023	1,373	1,239	1,226	937	855	761	733	1,083
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.6	4.1	3.8	3.4	3.3	4.5	4.0	4.0	3.1	2.8	2.5	2.4	3.5
ENTERPRISE CITY	LABOR FORCE	11,233	11,267	11,126	11,208	11,174	11,292	11,419	11,393	11,351	11,379	11,326	11,250	11,285
	EMPLOYMENT	10,790	10,871	10,775	10,886	10,852	10,850	11,047	11,020	11,059	11,112	11,067	11,008	10,945
	UNEMPLOYMENT	443	396	351	322	322	442	372	373	292	267	259	242	340
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.9	3.5	3.2	2.9	2.9	3.9	3.3	3.3	2.6	2.3	2.3	2.2	3.0
FLORENCE CITY	LABOR FORCE	18,518	18,483	18,555	18,558	18,564	18,528	18,500	18,469	18,481	18,754	18,783	18,742	18,578
	EMPLOYMENT	17,780	17,793	17,917	18,026	18,026	17,791	17,819	17,842	17,952	18,270	18,343	18,308	17,989
	UNEMPLOYMENT	738	690	638	532	538	737	681	627	529	484	440	434	589
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.0	3.7	3.4	2.9	2.9	4.0	3.7	3.4	2.9	2.6	2.3	2.3	3.2
GADSDEN CITY	LABOR FORCE	12,441	12,374	12,284	12,277	12,223	12,273	12,210	12,083	12,074	12,035	12,021	11,985	12,190
	EMPLOYMENT	11,539	11,571	11,572	11,628	11,561	11,465	11,455	11,418	11,479	11,494	11,586	11,547	11,526
	UNEMPLOYMENT	902	803	712	649	662	808	755	665	595	541	435	438	664
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.3	6.5	5.8	5.3	5.4	6.6	6.2	5.5	4.9	4.5	3.6	3.7	5.4
HOMEWOOD CITY	LABOR FORCE	13,997	14,098	14,130	14,293	14,284	14,205	14,168	14,150	14,103	14,172	14,356	14,375	14,195
	EMPLOYMENT	13,665	13,760	13,785	13,963	13,939	13,817	13,884	13,856	13,890	13,949	14,140	14,149	13,900
	UNEMPLOYMENT	332	338	345	330	345	388	284	294	213	223	216	226	295
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.7	2.0	2.1	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.6	2.1
HOOVER CITY	LABOR FORCE	45,765	46,082	46,051	46,713	46,456	46,410	46,431	46,255	46,176	46,322	46,948	46,907	46,377
	EMPLOYMENT	44,569	44,878	44,959	45,537	45,467	45,070	45,290	45,197	45,305	45,502	46,119	46,146	45,337
	UNEMPLOYMENT	1,196	1,204	1,092	1,176	989	1,340	1,141	1,058	871	820	829	761	1,040
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.5	2.1	2.9	2.5	2.3	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.6	2.2

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HUNTSVILLE CITY	LABOR FORCE	101,358	101,864	102,274	103,032	103,061	102,783	102,694	102,503	102,631	102,894	103,552	103,512	102,680
	EMPLOYMENT	97,400	98,177	98,979	100,186	100,256	99,223	99,458	99,430	100,135	100,639	101,417	101,492	99,733
	UNEMPLOYMENT	3,958	3,687	3,295	2,846	2,805	3,560	3,236	3,073	2,496	2,255	2,135	2,020	2,947
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.9	3.6	3.2	2.8	2.7	3.5	3.2	3.0	2.4	2.2	2.1	2.0	2.9
MADISON CITY	LABOR FORCE	27,321	27,427	27,582	27,992	27,904	27,887	27,784	27,730	27,807	27,954	28,123	28,111	27,802
	EMPLOYMENT	26,550	26,762	26,978	27,306	27,324	27,048	27,114	27,105	27,299	27,440	27,648	27,668	27,187
	UNEMPLOYMENT	771	665	604	686	580	839	670	625	508	514	475	443	615
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	2.8	2.4	2.2	2.5	2.1	3.0	2.4	2.3	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.6	2.2
MOBILE CITY	LABOR FORCE	86,324	86,340	85,982	86,433	86,218	86,930	86,704	86,108	86,039	86,347	86,435	86,340	86,350
	EMPLOYMENT	80,314	80,571	80,950	81,893	81,820	81,285	81,738	81,410	82,265	82,756	83,540	83,272	81,818
	UNEMPLOYMENT	6,010	5,769	5,032	4,540	4,398	5,645	4,966	4,698	3,774	3,591	2,895	3,068	4,532
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	7.0	6.7	5.9	5.3	5.1	6.5	5.7	5.5	4.4	4.2	3.3	3.6	5.2
MONTGOMERY CITY	LABOR FORCE	93,049	93,293	92,799	93,047	92,713	93,013	92,878	92,725	91,941	92,225	92,658	93,126	92,789
	EMPLOYMENT	86,945	87,603	87,822	88,474	88,193	87,400	87,702	88,089	88,057	88,625	89,722	89,946	88,215
	UNEMPLOYMENT	6,104	5,690	4,977	4,573	4,520	5,613	5,176	4,636	3,884	3,600	2,936	3,180	4,574
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	6.6	6.1	5.4	4.9	4.9	6.0	5.6	5.0	4.2	3.9	3.2	3.4	4.9
NORTHPORT CITY	LABOR FORCE	13,361	13,487	13,447	13,532	13,341	13,227	13,236	13,284	13,446	13,449	13,579	13,450	13,403
	EMPLOYMENT	12,870	13,025	13,021	13,145	12,942	12,734	12,813	12,866	13,070	13,090	13,298	13,174	13,004
	UNEMPLOYMENT	491	462	426	387	399	493	423	418	376	359	281	276	399
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.7	3.4	3.2	2.9	3.0	3.7	3.2	3.1	2.8	2.7	2.1	2.1	3.0
OPELIKA CITY	LABOR FORCE	14,403	14,532	14,460	14,542	14,441	14,457	14,501	14,512	14,528	14,629	14,770	14,632	14,534
	EMPLOYMENT	13,745	13,926	13,946	14,081	13,983	13,864	13,931	13,970	14,108	14,224	14,399	14,300	14,040
	UNEMPLOYMENT	658	606	514	461	458	593	570	542	420	405	371	332	494
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.6	4.2	3.6	3.2	3.2	4.1	3.9	3.7	2.9	2.8	2.5	2.3	3.4
PHENIX CITY	LABOR FORCE	14,840	14,892	14,790	14,891	14,752	14,780	14,705	14,720	14,754	14,821	14,976	14,881	14,817
	EMPLOYMENT	14,232	14,346	14,340	14,465	14,358	14,219	14,232	14,263	14,386	14,496	14,672	14,602	14,384
	UNEMPLOYMENT	608	546	450	426	394	561	473	457	368	325	304	279	433
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	4.1	3.7	3.0	2.9	2.7	3.8	3.2	3.1	2.5	2.2	2.0	1.9	2.9
PRATVILLE CITY	LABOR FORCE	17,562	17,603	17,579	17,609	17,561	17,583	17,595	17,651	17,537	17,668	17,821	17,828	17,634
	EMPLOYMENT	16,896	17,014	17,050	17,170	17,135	17,017	17,111	17,169	17,148	17,308	17,468	17,500	17,166
	UNEMPLOYMENT	666	589	529	439	426	566	484	482	389	360	353	328	468
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	3.8	3.3	3.0	2.5	2.4	3.2	2.8	2.7	2.2	2.0	2.0	1.8	2.7
PRICHARD CITY	LABOR FORCE	8,047	8,039	7,997	7,929	7,971	8,085	8,092	8,070	7,952	7,980	7,955	7,960	8,007
	EMPLOYMENT	7,265	7,288	7,322	7,408	7,401	7,353	7,394	7,364	7,441	7,486	7,557	7,532	7,401
	UNEMPLOYMENT	782	751	675	521	570	732	698	706	511	494	398	428	606
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	9.7	9.3	8.4	6.6	7.2	9.1	8.6	8.7	6.4	6.2	5.0	5.4	7.6
SELMA CITY	LABOR FORCE	5,787	5,782	5,705	5,719	5,639	5,748	5,842	5,828	5,768	5,745	5,631	5,646	5,737
	EMPLOYMENT	5,181	5,197	5,192	5,259	5,211	5,195	5,268	5,331	5,309	5,312	5,330	5,298	5,257
	UNEMPLOYMENT	606	585	513	460	428	553	574	497	459	433	301	348	480
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	10.5	10.1	9.0	8.0	7.6	9.6	9.8	8.5	8.0	7.5	5.3	6.2	8.4
TRUSSVILLE CITY	LABOR FORCE	11,755	11,833	11,837	11,998	11,914	11,893	11,883	11,882	11,843	11,916	12,071	12,065	11,907
	EMPLOYMENT	11,474	11,554	11,574	11,723	11,704	11,602	11,659	11,635	11,664	11,713	11,873	11,880	11,671
	UNEMPLOYMENT	281	279	263	275	210	291	224	247	179	203	198	185	236
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.3	1.8	2.4	1.9	2.1	1.5	1.7	1.6	1.5	2.0
TUSCALOOSA CITY	LABOR FORCE	47,101	47,410	47,113	47,276	46,660	46,490	46,553	46,516	46,835	46,781	47,282	46,875	46,908
	EMPLOYMENT	44,547	45,083	45,070	45,499	44,796	44,074	44,347	44,533	45,240	45,307	46,026	45,598	45,010
	UNEMPLOYMENT	2,554	2,327	2,043	1,777	1,864	2,416	2,206	1,983	1,595	1,474	1,256	1,277	1,898
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	5.4	4.9	4.3	3.8	4.0	5.2	4.7	4.3	3.4	3.2	2.7	2.7	4.0
VESTAVIA HILLS CITY	LABOR FORCE	17,909	18,073	18,093	18,391	18,199	18,154	18,154	18,070	18,020	18,128	18,407	18,360	18,163
	EMPLOYMENT	17,451	17,573	17,604	17,831	17,801	17,645	17,731	17,695	17,739	17,813	18,058	18,069	17,751
	UNEMPLOYMENT	458	500	489	560	398	509	423	375	281	315	349	291	412
	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE	2.6	2.8	2.7	3.0	2.2	2.8	2.3	2.1	1.6	1.7	1.9	1.6	2.3

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